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TO SECSTATE WASHDC 6828

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SUBJ: AMATEUR RADIO AGREEMENT

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1. ACCORDING TO MINISTRY FOREIGN AFFAIRS (MFA), MINISTRY OF POSTS AND TELECOMMUNICATIONS (PTT), WHICH WILL PREPARE THE SUBSTANTIVE RESPONSE, IS STILL EXAMINING USG DRAFTS AND PREPARING A REPLY. REPLY IS EXPECTED DURING WEEK OF APRIL 12. MFA REP NOTED THAT PTT HAS SOME PROBLEMS WITH USG POSITION, BUT HE IS HOPEFUL THAT NEW GOI DRAFT WILL PROVIDE BASIS FOR NEGOTIATION OF A SUITABLE AGREEMENT. MFA REP DECLINED TO SPECULATE ON SUBSTANCE OF GOI REPLY.

2. /COMMENT/: EMBASSY UNCERTAIN AS TO EXACT NATURE OF GOI QTE OBJECTIONS UNQTE, BUT IT SEEMS LIKELY THAT THEY REFLECT GOI DESIRES AS EXPRESSED IN GOI DRAFT TRANSMITTED REF (C). OBVIOUSLY, IF AGREEMENT IS TO BE NEGOTIATED, SOME FLEXIBILITY WILL BE NECESSARY IN USG POSITION.

3. EMBASSY IS NOT RPT NOT OPTIMISTIC THAT APRIL 12 TARGET WILL BE MET IN VIEW OF LONG HISTORY OF DELAYS.VOLPE

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